processor, the managing processor having a set of routing rules specific to and accessible and editable by a person assigned to the computer workstation, the method comprising steps of:

- (a) receiving an IPNT call at the managing processor;
- (b) determining [an] the person assigned to the workstation is an intended recipient for the call among the computer workstations connected on the LAN];
- (c) requesting routing by the managing processor from [a] the specific set of current routing rules accessible and editable by the [intended recipient] person assigned to the computer workstation; and
- (d) routing the call according to the current routing rules specific to the person [of the intended recipient].

- 3. (Amended) The method of claim 2 wherein the editable routing rules [for] specific to the [intended recipient] person are maintained at the [intended recipient's] computer workstation.
- 4. (Amended) The method of claim 2 wherein the editable routing rules for the intended recipient are maintained on a central client-server router executed on a processor [connected to the LAN].

5. (Amended) The method of plaim 4 wherein the processor [connected on the LAN] is the managing processor for the call center.



6. (Amended) The method of claim 4 wherein the processor executing the client-server router is a processor [connected to the LAN] separate from the managing processor.

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7. (Amended) The method of claim 2 comprising a step executed by [an intended recipient] the person for ["]editing the routing rules via an interactive Graphical User Interface (GUI) executing on the intended recipient's computer workstation["].

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- 8. (Amended) The method of claim 4 wherein there are multiple workstations coupled to the managing processor, and the client-server router has router-rule portions dedicated to individual ones of agents at individual ones of the computer workstations [workstation connected to the LAN], and wherein an individual agent, through a user interface executing on a computer workstation to which the agent is assigned, may access the portion dedicated to that agent, and edit the routing rules therein.
- 9. (Amended) The method of claim 8 wherein the user interface comprises a graphical user interface (GUI) having icons indicating telephone calls received and for choices of disposition of telephone calls received, and including steps for [a user] an agent to precipitate actions in call routing by iconic drag-and-drop procedures.

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10. (Amended) In a customer premises Internet Protocol Network

Telephony call center having a managing processor <u>including sets of routing</u>

<u>rules specific to individual agents at workstations, the managing processor</u>

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for switching received calls to [LAN-connected] <u>individual ones of the connected agents at computer workstations</u>, a method for individual customization of routing rules for the received calls, comprising steps of:

- (a) executing a client user interface on one of the computer workstations by an agent at the station;
- (b) determining routing for the received calls addressed to the computer workstation at the computer workstation by the agent at the workstation using the client user interface;
- (c) transmitting the routing determination to a router executing on [a] the managing processor [coupled to the LAN]; and
- (d) routing the received telephone calls by the router according to the transmitted routing determination.

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C6 Cmt. 12. (Amended) The method of claim 10 wherein the processor upon which the router executes is a processor [connected to the LAN separately] separate from the managing processor.

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13. (Amended) A call router system for determining routing of incoming Internet Protocol Network Telephony calls in a customer premises call center including a managing processor connected to individual computer workstations, the managing processor having sets of routing rules specific to individual agents, [the computer workstations also interconnected on a local

area network (LAN) also coupled to the managing processor,] the router <a href="mailto:system">system</a> comprising:

a client user interface executable on one of the computer workstations, and adapted to provide functions for editing routing rules for individual [specific users] agents; and

a router listing current routing rules <u>specific to</u> [for] the [user] <u>agent</u> at the workstation;

wherein the client user interface is adapted to transmit <u>agent-edited</u> routing rules to the router, and the router is adapted to provide routing to incoming calls addressed to the [user agent according to the current routing rules.

14. (Amended) The call router system of claim 13 wherein the router executes on a processor [coupled to the LAN].

15. (Unchanged) The call router system of claim 14 wherein the processor upon which the router executes is the managing processor.

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16. (Amended) The call router system of claim 14 wherein the processor upon which the router executes is a processor [connected to the LAN] separate from the managing processor.

17. (Amended) The call router system of claim 14 wherein routing rules are maintained at the individual <u>agent's</u> computer workstation and the router requests routing from the individual <u>agent's</u> computer workstation.